

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Nedeljko Varnica et al.
Serial No.: 10/774763
Confirmation No.: 6165
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For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR IMPROVING
PERFORMANCE OF INFORMATION CODING SCHEMES
Examiner: Chaudrey, Mujtaba M.
Art Unit: 2133

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed July 31, 2006, Applicant hereby elects Group II, Claims 8-53, for continued examination.

Applicants make this election without traverse and without prejudice to the filing of one or more divisional applications directed to non-elected subject matter under 35 U.S.C. §121.

Favorable action is hereby earnestly solicited.

Dated: August 28, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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